Introduced by Assembly Member Nakano

February 21, 2003

An act to amend Section 8592.1 of the Government Code, relating to public safety.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1211, as introduced, Nakano. Public safety: communication system.

Existing law gives the Public Safety Radio Strategic Planning Committee primary responsibility in state government for developing and implementing a statewide integrated public safety communication system for state government agencies that facilitates interoperability and other shared uses of public safety spectrum with local and federal agencies. Existing law provides that this committee consists of representatives of specified state agencies.

This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 8592.1 of the Government Code is
- 2 amended to read:
- 3 8592.1. For purposes of this article, the following terms have
- 4 the following meanings:

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- (a) "Public safety spectrum" means the spectrum allocated by the Federal Communications Commission for operation of interoperable and general use radio communication systems for public safety purposes within the state.
- 5 (b) "Committee" means the Public Safety Radio Strategic 6 Planning Committee, which was established in December 1994 in 7 recognition of the need to improve existing public radio systems 8 and to develop interoperability among public safety departments, 9 and which eonsists is comprised of representatives of the following state entities:
- 11 (1) The California Highway Patrol.
- 12 (2) The Department of Transportation.
- 13 (3) The Department of Corrections.
- 14 (4) The Department of Parks and Recreation.
- 15 (5) The Department of Fish and Game.
- 16 (6) The Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.
- 17 (7) The Department of Justice.
- 18 (8) The Department of Water Resources.
- 19 (9) The Office of Emergency Services.
- 20 (10) The Emergency Medical Services Authority.
- 21 (11) The Department of the Youth Authority.
- 22 (12) The Department of General Services.